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Sec. 301.52-4b--Administrative Instructions -
Modifying the Pink Bollworm quarantine
regulations by lifting treatment require-
ments as to designated articles from
certain lightly infested area in
New Mexico and Texas

Under authority contained in the second proviso in Notice of Quarantine No. 52, revised, (Sec. 301.52), and having determined that facts exist as to the pest risk involved which make it safe to modify, by making less stringent, the restrictions contained in paragraphs (a) and (c) of regulation 4 (Sec. 301.52-4) of the pink bollworm quarantine, notice is hereby given that baled cotton lint and linters and products thereof, cottonseed hulls, cake, and meal may be moved interstate without restriction from the following area:

New Mexico: Lea and Roosevelt Counties,
Texas: Counties of Andrews, ~~DeWitt~~, Dawson,
Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, ~~Gray~~,
Howard, Martin, Midland, ~~Terrell~~,
Yockum, and the regulated parts of
Bailey and Lamb Counties:

Provided, (1) That the products have been produced in an authorized gin or oil mill and subsequently protected from contamination, and (2) that a certificate of the United States Department of Agriculture has been obtained and attached to the containers or shipping papers in accordance with the requirements prescribed in regulation 11 (Sec. 301.52-11) of said quarantine.

The removal of the treatment requirements until further notice for the above-mentioned products is considered safe, due to the harvesting of the crop late in the season, the inability of the pink bollworm to survive the low temperatures of the winter, and the occurrence late in the season of only a light, sporadic infestation in the areas described.

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